Ruth Coleman, Director

Resolution 16-2006
adopted by the
CALIFORNIA STATE PARK AND RECREATION COMMISSION
at its regular meeting in San Juan Bautista, California
May 12, 2006

## General Plan and Environmental Impact Report for Pacheco State Park

WHEREAS, the Director of California State Parks has presented to this Commission for approval, the proposed General Plan and Environmental Impact Report ("Plan") for Pacheco State Park; and

WHEREAS, the Plan provides conceptual parameters and guidelines for the long-term management, development, operations, and future public use and enjoyment of the unit, and provides a unique opportunity to compliment the State Park System's existing parks and properties in the Central Valley by interpreting and protecting the natural resources associated with Pacheco State Park; and

WHEREAS, the Plan includes the Environmental Impact Report (EIR) as a part of a General Plan, pursuant to PRC Section 5002.2 and the California Code of Regulations (CCR) Section 15166 (CEQA Guidelines), providing discussion of the probable impacts of future development, establishing goals, policies and objectives, and addressing all the requirements of an EIR; and

WHEREAS, the Plan is subject to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and functions as a "tiered EIR" pursuant to PRC 21093, covering general goals and objectives of the Plan, and that the appropriate level of CEQA review will be conducted for each project relying on the Plan; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: this Commission has reviewed and considered the information and analysis in the Plan prior to approving the Plan, and this Commission finds and certifies that the Plan reflects the independent judgment and analysis of this Commission and has been completed in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act; and be it

RESOLVED: in connection with its review of the Plan prior to approving the General Plan, this Commission independently finds that the environmental conclusions contained in the Environmental Analysis Section of the Plan are supported by facts therein and that each fact in support of the findings is true and is based on substantial evidence in the record and that mitigation measures or other changes or alterations have been incorporated into the Plan which will avoid or substantially lessen the potential impacts identified in the Plan; and be it

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RESOLVED: in connection with its review of the Plan prior to approval of the Plan, this Commission finds the mitigation measures incorporated in the Environmental Analysis Section of the Plan, together with the resource protection policy guidelines in the Plan, to be feasible and appropriate mitigation of the potential environmental impacts identified in the Plan and adopts them as part of its approval of the Plan consistent with PRC Section 21081.6(b); and be it

RESOLVED: The location and custodian of the Plan and other materials which constitute the record of proceeding on which the Commission's decision is based is: State Park and Recreation Commission, P.O. Box 942896, Sacramento, California 94296-0001, Phone 916/653-0524, Facsimile 916/653-4458; and be it

RESOLVED: The California State Park and Recreation Commission hereby approves the Department of Parks and Recreation's General Plan, Final Environmental Impact Report, and Errata prepared for Pacheco State Park, dated January 2004, June 2005, and May 12, 2006 respectively; and hereby changes the words "tent camping" to "camping sites" found under **Uses** on Page 3-7, Table II of the General Plan in order to accommodate and promote various kinds of camping experiences, including tent, RV, trailer, yurts, cabins, and others, and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED; that a Notice of Determination will be filed with the Office of Planning and Research within five days of this approval;

Attest: This Resolution was duly adopted by the California State Park and Recreation Commission on May 12, 2006, at its duly noticed public meeting at San Juan Bautista, California.

By: \_\_\_ORIGINAL SIGNED BY Date: \_\_\_5-16-06
Louis Nastro
Assistant to the Commission
For Ruth Coleman, Director
California State Parks

Secretary to the Commission